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Art Unit: 3682

For: RADIAL PUMPING OIL SEAL FOR FLUID
DYNAMIC BEARING MOTOR

Examiner: L. Footland

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated September 28, 2005, for which a response is due on December 28, 2005. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.